

LAWRENCE, MASS.

ROY D. BEITTEL



1886—Born at Columbia, Lancaster county, Pa., of Pennsylvania Dutch parentage.
 1892-1902—Attended public school.
 1903-1905—Clerked in father's general store. Studied bookkeeping evenings.
 1906—Employed in office of iron foundry in Columbia, general office work.
 1907-1910—Employed in office of structural steel company in Philadelphia and Eddystone, Pa., time-keeper and paymaster.
 1909—Married Miss Ella Rettew, of Columbia, Pa.
 1910—Entered employ S. H. Kress & Co., and was sent to Nashville, Tenn. for training. After six months training was given charge of store at Columbus, Ga.
 1913—Entered employ S. S. Kress Co. at Philadelphia No. 39.
 1914—Opened and took charge of Easton, Pa., store No. 115.
 1915-1918—Managed Brockton store, No. 63.
 1918-1919—Managed Lawrence store, No. 32.
 1920—Charter member Lawrence Rotary Club. Assisted in selecting members and in organizing club.

WALTER P. ZELLER



1890—Born on farm in Breslau, Waterloo County, Ont., Canada.
 1895-1901—Attended country school.
 1901—Parents moved to Kitchener, Ont.
 1901-1906—Attended public and high school at Kitchener, Ont. Worked in store and sold papers after school hours and Saturdays during this period.
 1906-1911—Worked as bookkeeper in a meat store, later in a granite and marble and building contractor's office in Kitchener, Ont., and Toronto, Ont.
 1911—Specialty salesman in Canadian northwest territories. Bookkeeper for wholesale meat concern.
 1912—Entered employ of F. W. Woolworth Co., Ltd., at Chatsworth, Ont., store at salary of \$25 per week. Worked at London, Ont.; Winnipeg, Man.; Saskatoon, Sask.; Regina, Sask.; Hamilton, Ont.; St. Catharines, Ont., and Toronto, Ont.
 1914—Married Miss Nettie E. Lewis of London, Ont.
 1915—Entered employ of S. S. Kress Co., at Brooklyn, N. Y., and a few days later went to Baltimore, Md.
 1916—July 1, assumed charge of store No. 47, Pawtucket, R. I.
 1917—Nov. 9, given charge of store No. 33, New Haven, Conn.